

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. **S59**

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TO:	The Honorable Glenn McConnell, Chairman, Senate Judiciary Committee		
FROM:	Office of State Budget, Budget and Control Board		
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SUBJECT:	Absentee Ballots		

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ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:  
A Cost to the General Fund (See Below)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:  
\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

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**BILL SUMMARY:**

The proposed Bill amends section 7-15-320 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, referring to the use of absentee ballots.

**EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:**

A review of this Bill by the State Election Commission indicates there will be a recurring cost for a temporary employee of \$900 for each county election office, totaling \$41,400, to assist voters who will vote at the voter registration office prior to elections.

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:**

None.

**SPECIAL NOTES:**

None.

Approved by:



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